

**IN THE CLAIMS:**

Please cancel claims 16-27, without prejudice.

**REMARKS**

Claims 1-15 remain in this application.

The Office Action requires election of an invention from the following:

Group I including claims 1 and 4-15; and Group II including claims 16 and 19-27.

It is respectfully submitted that claims 2 and 3 are also included in Group I.

Applicants elect Group I including claims 1-15.